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CEREBROSPINAL MENINGITIS.

TEXAS.

Surg. Guiteras reports the occurrence of 10 cases of cerebrospinal meningitis with 2 deaths at Galveston during the period from March 13 to 19, 1912.

The health officer at San Antonio reports 11 cases with 4 deaths as occurring at that place during the week ended March 9, 1912.

CASES AND DEATHS REPORTED BY CITY HEALTH AUTHORITIES FROM FEB. 17 TO MAR. 9, 1912.

Place.	Week ended Feb. 24.		Week ended Mar. 2.		Week ended Mar. 9.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Baltimore, Md.	1	1				1
Boston, Mass.		2	1	1		
Chicago, Ill.		1	1	1		
Chicopee, Mass.					1	
Cincinnati, Ohio	6	1	4		1	
Cleveland, Ohio.		1				
Columbus, Ohio.					1	
Dayton, Ohio.				1		
El Paso, Tex.					2	
Haverhill, Mass.					1	
Houston, Texas.					8	4
Kansas City, Kans.	5					
Kansas City, Mo.	15	13			32	14
Montclair, N. J.	1					
Nashville, Tenn.			1		3	1
New Orleans, La.	2	2			5	6
New York, N. Y.	6	2	9	6	9	5
Niagara Falls, N. Y.	1					
Oakland, Cal.	1					
Oklahoma City, Okla.					2	
Philadelphia, Pa.	2	1				
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1					
Reading, Pa.					1	
Richmond, Va.		1				
St. Louis, Mo.	3	1	1		1	1
San Antonio, Tex.			1		11	4
San Francisco, Cal.		3	1	2	1	
Saratoga Springs, N. Y.			1		1	
Schenectady, N. Y.					1	1
Seattle, Wash.					1	
Springfield, Ill.						1
Waltham, Mass.	1					
Washington, D. C.					1	1
Worcester, Mass.			1	1		

PLAGUE-PREVENTION WORK.

DISTRIBUTION OF POISON.

In connection with the making and maintenance of a squirrel-free zone around the cities of California on San Francisco Bay, 1,379 acres of land in Alameda County were covered with poison during the week ended March 9, 1912.